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SUBJECT

AAP Waiver Request (PR No. 230/0102Z/93) SG1J SG1J

REMARKS

1. PURPOSE: Waiver of Process for Advanced Acquisition Planning (AAP) to procure external assistance for assessments of selected technical aspects of foreign developments in anomalous phenomena.
2. DISCUSSION:

a. DIA first learned of the possibility of receiving additional Congressionally directed funds for conducting phenomenological research and analysis in November 1991. Actual funding levels were not known until December and the funds were not released to PAG-TA until late January 1992. According to the Congressional language, this FY92 funding is intended to be used as follow-on to the existing PAG-TA contract in this area (MDA-908-91-C-0037) and to initiate new research and other activities.

b. Since this follow-on activity was not originally planned by DIA, there was no way to initiate an AAP package as required by February 1991. Consequently, due to the unexpected nature of this Congressional action, the resulting late timing of contract package initiation, and the need to expedite procurement to facilitate research continuity, it is essential that a waiver for Scientific Review Board (SRB) involvement in processing this purchase request for existing contract modification be granted.

3. RECOMMENDATION: DAP approve waiver of the process for purchase request 330/0102Z/93 by signing endorsement on this Staff Summary Sheet.

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1 ENCLOSURE
 Procurement Request 330/0102Z/93

Chief, PAG

Approved: _____

Disapproved: _____